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There is nothing so easy but that it becomes difficult when you do it with reluctance.—Terence.

It is all right to shoot up the water front, but what's the use of shaking the whole town with the blasts.

*This is just a taste of the ordinary weather they have been enjoying at the summer resorts of the East.

John D. Spreckels, speaking before the investigating commission in favor of free sugar, makes of himself an amosin' cuss.

It might be well to remind baseball teams that visit Honolulu in the future that the people want baseball contests, not acrimonious talking matches.

Of course the Nebraska convention endorsed the administration of President Taft. But the fight for the delegates to the National convention is not thereby ended.

What assurance is there that the end of the year will not find the territorial public works making a record of so much to do that there is no time for anything but talk.

Who shall be Mayor of San Francisco during the Panama-Pacific Fair preparation is of no greater importance than who shall be the Mayor of Honolulu in preparation for the Panama canal.

Honolulu needs prompt and permanent road construction, with intelligent repairs to save some of the sections that are fast going to pieces. This is the work cut out for the Supervisors and they must get at it as rapidly as the money will allow.

Isn't W. H. McInerney the type of business man—Independent and aggressive—that most everyone wants in the Mayor's office of Honolulu during the years when this city must prepare for the Panama canal as well as the development of the island as an army and navy center?

San Francisco has selected its Fair site, and the average citizen of Honolulu immediately thinks of the crowds that will incidentally come to Honolulu when the Fair is on. But that crowd will dwindle to a baker's dozen, if this city is not put in the pink of sanitary condition within the next two years.

If that workman had got off the truck to get a glass of beer instead of a cigarette, the monster Rum would probably have been held up by the fanatics as the responsible factor. The fact of the matter is, nothing can beat natural born carelessness and taking a chance once too often, as a destroyer of human life.

Whether Mr. Thurston is an interested party in the case or not is not known to the editor of this paper. Whether Mr. Milverton is representing interests friendly or opposed to Mr. Thurston is equally unknown.

—Advertiser.

Why tell such a funny story. No one believes it.

EVENING SMILES

Mrs. Slimdick—Well, that fellow Longhead, who talked about taking board here, is just about the most superstitious man I ever did hear of. He's actually afraid of ghosts.

Maid—Ghosts, is it?

Mrs. Slimdick—Yes; he writes that he has changed his mind about coming, because he's been told that half a dozen people have starved to death here.

—Bronson has gone to Europe for his health.

—How did he lose his health?

—Earning the money to go to Europe.

The sudden death of E. E. Richards of Hilo is indeed sad. Mr. Richards has always been an active factor in the public life of his town and usually to be found among the workers of a progressive movement. His taking away is a community loss.

Only twenty months will elapse before ships will be passing through the Panama canal, according to the constructing engineer. Can Honolulu afford to delay preparations for receiving these ships and the trade they will bring?

WORK FOR THE HIGH SCHOOL.

Hawaii's educational policy of developing high schools in sufficient number to give each island at least the advantage of the high school grade finds ample endorsement in the report on high schools made to the National Educational Association. The report was in line with the request made last year by the department on high schools, that the colleges revise entrance requirements in such a way that the high schools might meet modern needs.

Formulated by a committee of nine educators, the report cites the criticism of the Carnegie Foundation that American education, from elementary school to college, is suffering from the attempt to teach too many subjects to the same student at the same time.

Considering some of the special functions of the high school, the reports say:

"The high school must instruct every student in the elements of good citizenship. This duty cannot be delegated to the college, because there is no guarantee that any particular student will actually go to college.

"High school courses must be flexible, for the high school period is the time for the youth to discover his bent.

"Broad vocational instructions should find place in the high school to prepare for efficiency.

"Mechanics' arts, agriculture or household science should be recognized as rational elements in the education of all boys and girls and especially of those who have not yet chosen their vocations. High school attendance in this country has increased almost fourfold within the last twenty years. If the colleges will recognize the true function of the high school this marvelous growth will continue unabated and the American high school will become an institution unparalleled as a factor for democratic living. It is doubtful whether any nation ever before possessed such an opportunity.

THE LETTER SIGNED BY THE MAYOR.

Mayor Fern's letter to the Supervisors on the subject of the Road Supervisor is either intentionally insulting or is the work of an insolent cad. We doubt that Mr. Fern would declare that he wrote it. There is the lack of the basic common sense usually possessed by the Mayor and we would suggest that he be more careful in the future what he allows to go before the public over his signature.

Small Harold had just been chastised.

"Mamma," he said, "does it make your hands warm to spank me?"

"Indeed, it does, Harold," she replied.

"Well," continued the little fellow, "the next time they are cold I wish you would hold them over the heater."

"Settled in your new flat yet, Mrs. Smith?"

"I think so. Everything is unpacked now except the things we really need."

One sentence of the letter reads as follows: "If you were honest in your statement that you desire an economical, efficient administration of affairs in the road department you would do well as a first step to retain Mr. Wilder in his position."

"If you were honest," says the letter signed by the Mayor. Previous to this letter being written, Wilder had already been offered a position in the County Engineer's office.

Who then is the Mayor that he questions the honesty of the Supervisors, and what sort of an outfit is that around him and using him for a cat's paw, which talks about "playing politics?"

The Mayor's letter is one of the clearest attempts to mislead the public that has recently been penned. But in view of the facts it is excessively crude. It reads like an effusion from the miff factory.

The Mayor's letter also says: "When I appointed Mr. Wilder I believed him to be capable and efficient and non-partisan as to his political affiliations and I think you must honestly admit that he has made good."

Perhaps he is non-partisan, but there is nothing in the most recent record as contained in the Mayor's letter to indicate that he on behalf of a political gang is not trying to play politics as a result of Wilder's voluntary withdrawal.

When the bedrock facts are finally brought to the surface, there is little doubt that a beautiful little political frame-up in the interests of Democratic factionalism was nipped in the bud by the ordinance passed placing the road work in the control of the County Engineer through the Supervisors.

There is too much of real work to do, to waste time discussing whether Wilder is all that is claimed for him or not. He has quit, and there are as good and better men to take his place.

The responsibility is with the Supervisors and they assume it without question. They must get first-class men and do first-class work. The insulting letter of the Mayor will probably neither hasten nor deter them, if they know their business.

Forward is the word.

THE ARMY AND TYPHOID.

Those resident in Honolulu during the Spanish-American war and the later occupation of the Philippines, well remember the terrible toll that was taken by typhoid fever among the troops temporarily quartered in this city. As observed by the civilian, there was an awful ignorance or indifference among the officers in command. This was true more particularly of the officers mustered into service from State militia, though there was an occasional regular who didn't seem to care a rap, or at least accepted typhoid as one of the things that could no more be headed off than an enemy's bullet.

It is interesting, therefore, to learn that, up to a recent day, only one case of typhoid fever had been recorded among the 17,000 troops of the regular army which have passed many weeks of the present year in Texas near the Mexican border. This admirable result is due to several causes. The most exacting sanitary and hygienic regulations that could be formulated were enforced. In the matter of flies, for example, extraordinary precautions were used to keep the disease bearing insects from sources of disease germs.

But great credit is also given to the typhoid serum with which the medical branch of the army has been experimenting for several years. All the troops sent to Texas are said to have been inoculated with this serum.

It seems thus to have been well demonstrated that typhoid is preventable even in army summer camps, where men become especially susceptible to its attacks. One result of this demonstration should be thorough instruction of militia officers in the valuable information on this subject gathered in the regular army.

BOND ISSUE HAS CHANCE FOR SALE HERE

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locked up in the territorial vaults, where it would be practically useless.

The Bulletin has been unable to learn definitely that any banks are so situated, but the question raises an interesting point. Presumably the money from the bond sale is to be deposited here, and some of the local financiers believe the local banks would make a wise investment by taking the bonds.

The interest on the bonds alone will amount to \$60,000, all of which will be put into circulation elsewhere.

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should maintain bidders secure the entire issue of bonds.

"I feel certain that if a definite plan of presenting the advantages of these bonds to local investors had been made, the entire issue would have been sold here," said one man this morning. "As safe, conservative, long-time investments, they offer many attractions. At all events, I hope that it is not too late for serious consideration to be given them by possible bidders tomorrow."

Tomorrow afternoon at two o'clock will be the time at which the tenders for the bond issue must be in. This time has been settled on for the mainland as well as here but no allowance is to be made for the geographical differences. Two o'clock on July

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are from 7 a. m. to 5:30 p. m. on week days and on Sundays from 8 to 10 a. m. and until 11 every night for ships' messages

27 will hold good everywhere.

Speaking of the chance of any local tenders coming in the Governor said this morning that there had been some talk as to this but nothing definite could be known until tomorrow. There is a likelihood that some of the money would be taken up locally.

THURSTON'S HAND SAYS CATHCART

It's the hand of Thurston that directs the attacks against Deputy City and County Attorney Fred Milverton, who is absent on vacation, the time being spent in Kona where Milverton is representing parties who are bringing action against the Kona Sugar Company, of which Thurston was at one time president, according to City and County Attorney Cathcart.

In an open letter addressed to the supervisors, Cathcart writes as follows:

"Pursuant to the resolution which I understand your honorable body proposes to pass this evening, I respectfully notify you that I have given leave of absence to Mr. Pat Silva, my clerk for the ensuing two weeks. I expect that the case on which Mr. Milverton was compelled to go to Kona will be completed by the first week of August. His leave of ab-

sence was necessary in order to complete the trial of a case which, as was explained to you, had dragged along to an unconscionable length. In passing I might say that Mr. Milverton represents interests in conflict with those of Mr. E. A. Thurston, the proprietor of a newspaper published in this city, which will account for that paper's attitude in the matter. Mr. Milverton's absence will have to be considered as his vacation and as I have above stated I expect him to return the first of the coming month. I would ask that you approve my action in the premises.

Very truly yours,
J. W. CATHCART,
City and County Attorney.

POLO PONIES BREAK CAMP

All in Readiness For Big Game at Lihuehwa Next Saturday.

The Oahu Polo Club's ponies will be shipped to Lihuehwa tomorrow morning, and allowed a day's rest before the big game Saturday.

About twenty will go up to romp with the Cavalry mounts and all are in first class condition, trained down to perfection and well fit as a fiddle.

The home club has been fairly fortunate this season with injuries to ponies—only one having been so far, seriously hurt and that was during the game on the Fourth, when one of Oahu's received a bad smash on the leg with a mallet, cutting a tender so badly, he will be out of the running this year. The Cavalry horses are all looking fine and will prove themselves much faster at the game than they were at Moanalua.

The 5th Cavalry are all on their highest mettle and feel confident they can turn the tables on Oahu. The home team feels the same way in regard to the Cavalry but realize it is not going to be any cinch in capturing the bacon this time. Both teams have improved quite a bit, so an exceptionally flashy game with lots of snap and ginger to it, is expected Saturday at Lihuehwa.

A great number of enthusiasts from Honolulu will go up by machines and train to do their share by rooting.

IN FOREIGN PORTS.

Wednesday, July 26.
VICTORIA—Arrived, July 25: S. S. Zealandia, hence July 18.
SAN FRANCISCO—Sailed, July 26: S. S. China, for Honolulu, 1 p. m.
Wireless:
S. S. SIERRA, will arrive from San Francisco, Friday, a. m.

Bowdoin College graduated a class of 72 men, all of whom received the degree of A. B.

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GRAND JURY MAY CHANGE MONDAY

The change in the personnel of the grand jury that was expected to take place today has now been postponed in all probability to Monday next. The later developments in connection with the running of opium from the steamer Arizona and the subsequent delay which occurred through the marshal having to visit the islands, has made the hearing rather longer than was expected.

Some of the jury are anxious from business and other reasons to get away as soon as some of the cases can be cleared up and an effort was to be made this morning. They have finished some cases, however, and have heard part of the evidence in others so that it is impossible at the present time.

It is not known yet how many changes will be made but it is thought that there will be a fair number. It is rumored that there will be a report made at the end of this week. They continued their sittings this morning and are gradually eliminating the witnesses. Judging by the crowd that assembled every morning now about half of them have been put through.

NEW YORK, June 23.—Fellow workmen in the painting trade call Evan Sherman, who is fifty years old, "Nine-Lives Dutchie," and his old schoolmates dubbed him "Kitty, the Human Cat," both sobriquets having to do with Sherman's ability to fall from heights varying from ten to a hundred feet without hurting himself.

He himself estimates that he has had about a hundred falls. But he shows himself without a scratch, and is sure that he isn't going to die that way.

He fell eight stories from the Scott & Bowne building, near the Brooklyn bridge, about 160 feet. But he was still the "Human Cat" of youth, for he landed on the flagstones on his feet.



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